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SANGAMO BIOSCIENCES INC Form 8-K June 23, 2005

> UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION WASHINGTON, DC 20549

> > FORM 8-K

CURRENT REPORT PURSUANT TO SECTION 13 OR 15(D) OF THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934

Date of report (Date of earliest event reported): June 23, 2005

SANGAMO BIOSCIENCES, INC.

(Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in Its Charter)

Delaware

(State or Other Jurisdiction of Incorporation)

000-30171

(Commission File Number)

 501 Canal Blvd, Suite A100
 Richmond, California 94804

68-0359556

(IRS Employer Identification No.)

(Address of Principal Executive Offices)

(Zip Code)

(510) 970-6000

(Registrant's Telephone Number, Including Area Code)

(Former Name or Former Address, if Changed Since Last Report)

Check the appropriate box below if the Form 8-K filing is intended to simultaneously satisfy the filing obligation of the registrant under any of the following provisions (see General Instruction A.2. below):

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On June 23, 2005, Edwards Lifesciences Corporation issued a press release announcing that it had initiated a second clinical trial of EW-A-401 at Duke University Medical Center for the treatment of critical limb ischemia, a symptom of peripheral artery disease. EW-A-401 is a therapeutic compound developed by Sangamo Biosciences, Inc designed to stimulate the growth of normal blood vessels.

A copy of the press release issued by Edwards Lifesciences Corporation relating to the clinical trial is filed as an exhibit to this Current Report on Form 8-K.

ITEM 9.01 FINANCIAL STATEMENTS AND EXHIBITS

(c) Exhibits. The following material is filed as an exhibit to this Current Report on Form 8-K:

Exhibit No.

99.1 Press Release Issued June 23, 2005.

SIGNATURES

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the Registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned hereunto duly authorized.

DATE: June 23, 2005

SANGAMO BIOSCIENCES, INC.

By: /s/ EDWARD O. LANPHIER II

Edward O. Lanphier II President, Chief Executive Officer